



We went to market.

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My mother takes me to the market.
There are so many shops.
There are so many people.
Some people do shopping..
Others do only window shopping.
What will my mother do?



First of all, we went to ration shop.
Mother bought wheat, rice, sugar and pulses.
We did not bring bag for ration.
The shopkeeper will send ration at home.



After this, mother stops at vegetable shop.
I said, " Will you buy vegetables now?"
Mother said, " No".
Vegetable vendor shouts, " Come! Come! There are fresh vegetables."



Why mother stopped over here?
Arre! This is oil shop.
The shop is filled with oil smell.
Mother complains , " The oil is very costly."
The shopkeeper felt bad.



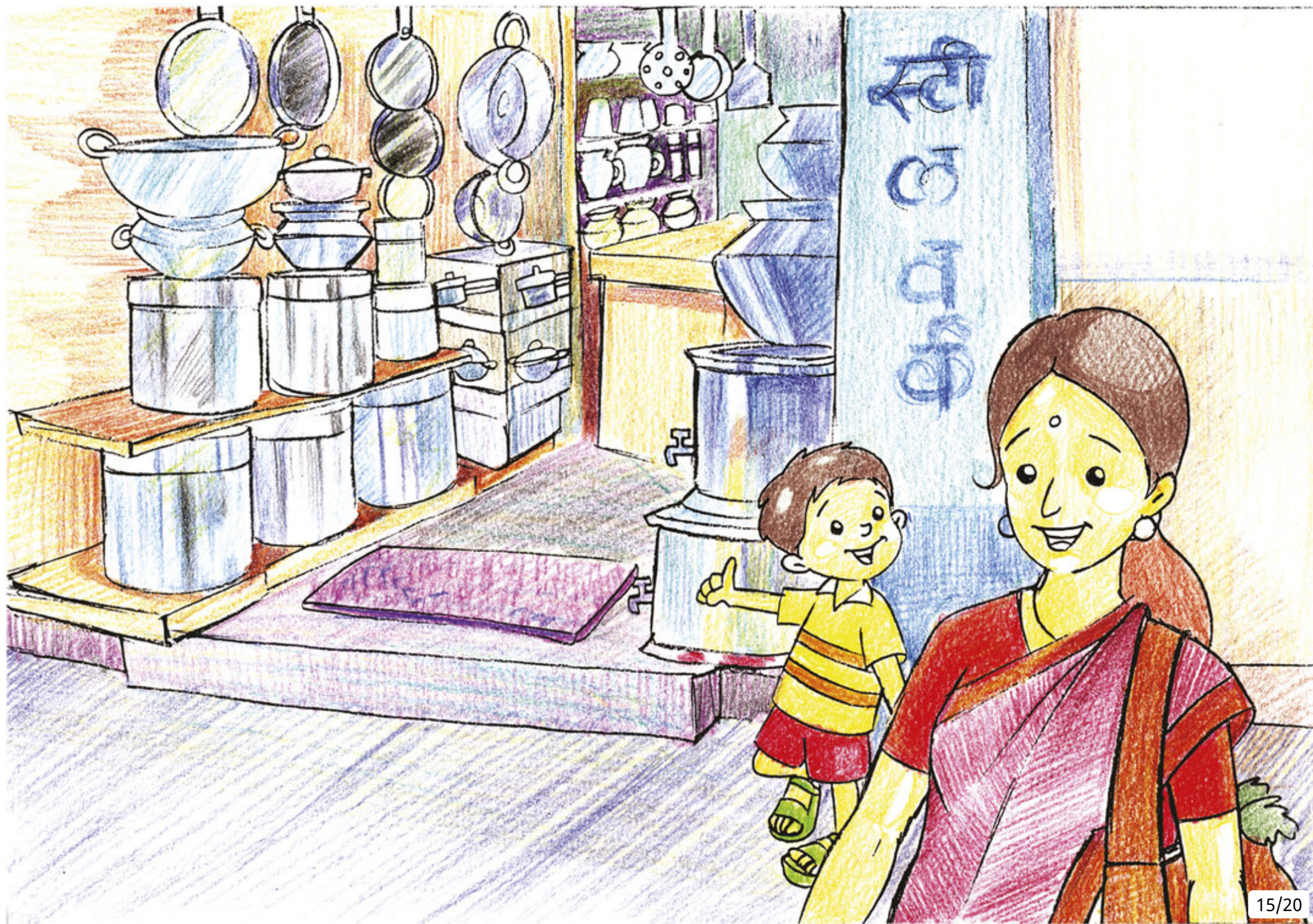
Now , we reached to fish market.
Some people dislike fish smell.
But I like it very much.
See! How fisher woman is dressed!
Can you see fat cats?
These just rest here and get fat eating fish.



We stopped at dairy. Mother bought ghee and cheese.
Why do not they keep ice cream? I love it.
What do you think? Will my mother buy ice cream for me?



"Do you want to buy some utensils now"?, I asked mother.
There was nobody at utensils shop.
People buy utensils only
When there is marriage or festival.



Stop! "Mother! Do not go to this shop," I said loudly.
My mother loves to visit cloth shop.
The shopkeeper shows many sarees to her.
But she takes nothing.



Toy shop! I only wanted this.
How big is teddy bear!.
I want this scooter and this toy truck....
I promised mother that I will only touch and feel the toys.
I will not insist to buy.
I will only take one toy on my birthday





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